

# The 2004 Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance (FEGLI) Program Open Season

## Update!

- FEGLI Open Season brochures and election forms will be mailed to employees' homes during the week of **August 24, 2004**.
- Completed, **original** Open Season Election Forms (FE-2004) must be **received** in the Public Debt Benefits office **no later than September 30, 2004**. Faxed forms are **not** acceptable.
- Election forms should be mailed to one of the following addresses:

**Regular Mail:**

**Benefits, Room 408  
Treasury/Public Debt  
P.O. Box 1328  
Parkersburg, WV 26101-1328**

**Express Mail:**

**Benefits, Room 408  
Treasury/Public Debt  
200 Third Street  
Parkersburg, WV 26101-5312**

<b>When is the 2004 FEGLI Open Season?</b>	OPM will hold a FEGLI Open Season from September 1 through September 30, 2004, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the FEGLI Program. This will be the first FEGLI Open Season since 1999.
<b>What will I be able to do during this open season?</b>	If you are eligible for FEGLI coverage, you will be able to enroll in the FEGLI program or increase your current coverage without having a physical or answering any questions about your health.
<b>How do I know if I'm eligible for FEGLI coverage?</b>	If you are currently covered or are in a non-temporary appointment, you are probably eligible. If you have questions about this, contact the Benefits group at <a href="mailto:Benefits@bpd.treas.gov">Benefits@bpd.treas.gov</a> or 304-480-7628.
<b>When will my new coverage be effective?</b>	<b>The earliest date newly elected coverage will be effective is September 4, 2005</b> , if you meet the pay and duty status requirements. These requirements are explained on the back of Part 4 of your FEGLI 2004 Open Season Election Form.
<b>What is FEGLI?</b>	<p>The FEGLI program provides group term life insurance. It consists of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Basic life, equal to your annual salary rounded up to the next \$1,000, plus \$2,000.</li> <li>• Option A – Standard, an additional \$10,000 in coverage.</li> <li>• Option B – Additional, additional coverage in multiples of your annual salary, up to five multiples.</li> <li>• Option C – Family, coverage on the lives of your family members.</li> </ul> <p>More information will be provided in the information that will be mailed to your home.</p>

<b>How can I find out what my current coverage is?</b>	Your life insurance coverage is described on your SF 50, Notification of Personnel Action, in item 27. This information is also on your Employee Personal Page at <a href="https://www.nfc.usda.gov/personal/ep_warning.asp">https://www.nfc.usda.gov/personal/ep_warning.asp</a>
<b>How much do I pay for my FEGLI coverage?</b>	You can use the FEGLI Calculator at <a href="http://www.opm.gov/calculator/worksheet.asp">http://www.opm.gov/calculator/worksheet.asp</a> to calculate the premiums for the various combinations of coverage.
<b>What do I do to keep my current coverage?</b>	If you're satisfied with your current coverage, you don't have to do anything. Your FEGLI coverage will not change.
<b>How can I contact the Benefits group?</b>	Call 304-480-7628 or send an email to <a href="mailto:Benefits@bpd.treas.gov">Benefits@bpd.treas.gov</a>

## **FEGLI 2004**

### **Open Season**

**September 1 – 30, 2004**

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